

**MODULAR MULTI-MEDIA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM WITH CONTEXT  
DEPENDENT MULTI-MEDIA HELP FUNCTIONALITY**

**Abstract**

The present multi-media communication system comprises a controller that  
5 interfaces with a plurality of communication space stations and with one or more  
communication medium service providers. Each communication space station includes  
a subscriber voice interface and a help button. Further, each communication space  
station is configurable to include a graphic display screen and may server a subscriber  
device that includes a graphic display screen. The controller provides help information  
10 to the subscriber station in response to subscriber activation of the help button that is  
dependent on the operational state of the communication space station and is compliant  
with the communication space station's subscriber interface. The controller further  
provides for establishing a communication session with a help station in response to a  
15 second subscriber activation of the help button.

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